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January 12, 2018

James J. Waldron, Clerk of the Court  
US Bankruptcy Court  
401 Market Street  
Camden, NJ 08102

Re: Bankruptcy Filer(s): Enrique Vargas  
Bankruptcy Notice: Chapter 7 Filing  
Bankruptcy Case #: 17-34603-ABA

**FILED**  
JEANNE A. NAUGHTON, CLERK  
JAN 23 2018  
U.S. BANKRUPTCY COURT  
CAMDEN, N.J.  
BY [Signature] DEPUTY

Dear Mr. Waldron:

The Office of Child Support Services (OCSS) within New Jersey's Division of Family Development (DFD) received your correspondence regarding the filer(s) listed above. We understand that the individual(s) has filed a Chapter 7 filing with the U.S. Bankruptcy Court.

Please be advised that domestic support obligations have first priority in the distribution of funds during bankruptcy proceedings (Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005, P.L. 109-8, Title II, Subtitle B "Priority Child Support") and that it is the responsibility of the custodial parent or County Welfare Agency (CWA) to file a proof of claim as the holder of the obligation. OCSS does forward a copy of the Bankruptcy Notice to the Vicinage Probation Office responsible for enforcing the child support order.

Based on the information provided, OCSS performed a search of the automated child support system which revealed the following:

- ☒ There is one or more child support cases linked to the filer(s) being enforced by the following Vicinage Probation Office(s).

Dawn Dougherty, Assistant Chief Probation Officer  
Atlantic County Probation Division/Child Support  
P.O. Box 5129  
Atlantic City, NJ 08404

- ☐ There is a closed child support case linked to the filer(s). Any child support monies owed at the time of closure have been reduced to a judgment.
- ☐ There is no child support case linked to the filer(s).

Please continue to direct any further correspondence to the Office of Child Support Services. If you have any questions you may call Customer Service at 1-877-655-4371.

I trust this information is helpful to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Patricia Risch", followed by a large, stylized flourish or "C" shape.

Patricia Risch  
Assistant Director

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